



CITY OF LODI

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

AGENDA TITLE: Purchase of Sewer Hydrocleaner Truck for Water/Wastewater Division (\$223,850)

MEETING DATE: October 15, 1997

PREPARED BY: Public Works Director

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the City Council adopt the attached resolution to purchase the above equipment for the Water/Wastewater Division of the Public Works Department from Municipal Maintenance Equipment, of Sacramento, in the amount of \$223,845.50 and appropriate funds in accordance with the recommendation shown below.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: The current unit, No. 04-038, was purchase in June 1989 and has reached the end of its useful life for the demanding daily use involved in maintenance cleaning and clearing blockages in domestic and industrial sewer lines. There have been an increasing number of expensive repairs needed on this unit.

The sewer hydrocleaner provides a powerful jet steam of water that cleans out grease, sediments and other debris that accumulate in domestic and industrial sewer lines. Proactive maintenance and cleaning prevents blockages and subsequent spills of raw sewage which results in reduced claims against the City. It also extends the life of sewer lines by reducing the conditions for hydrogen sulfide/sulfuric acid production. The current 8-year-old unit will be transferred to the Street Division for additional service life and be delegated to the less strenuous task of storm line cleaning. Additionally, the existing unit will serve as an emergency backup for the new unit and ensure our customers the quality service they are accustomed to.

Specifications for this equipment were approved on September 17, 1997. The City received two bids. The lowest bid, from Edward R. Bacon Company, was non-responsive due to lack of the required bid bond. The bids were as follow:

Bidder	Location	Bid
Edward R. Bacon Company	Sacramento	\$223,220.00
Municipal Maintenance Equipment	Sacramento	\$223,845.50

FUNDING: Requested Appropriation: \$ 224,000.00
Budgeted Funds: 1997/99 Wastewater Equipment Replacement Fund \$ 180,910.00 ✓
1997/99 General Fleet Fund \$ 29,300.00 ✓
Additional Fund: Wastewater Contingency Fund \$ 13,790.00
Project Estimate: \$224,000 (Includes radio transfer)
Bid Opening Date: October 2, 1997
Funding Available: *Ruby K. Paine for*

Finance Director

Jack L. Ronsko
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Public Works Director

Prepared by Dennis J. Callahan, Building and Equipment Maintenance Superintendent

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Attachment

cc: City Attorney
Purchasing Officer
Building and Equipment Maintenance Superintendent
Water/Wastewater Superintendent

APPROVED: _____

H. Dixon Flynn
H. Dixon Flynn -- City Manager

RESOLUTION NO. 97-170

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL
AWARDING THE PURCHASE OF SEWER HYDROCLEANER TRUCK
FOR THE WATER/WASTEWATER DIVISION AND
APPROPRIATING ADDITIONAL FUNDS

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WHEREAS, in answer to notice duly published in accordance with law and the order of this City Council, sealed bids were received and publicly opened on October 2, 1997 at 11:00 a.m. for the purchase of Sewer Hydrocleaner Truck for the Water/Wastewater Division, described in the specifications therefore approved by the City Council on September 17, 1997; and

WHEREAS, said bids have been compared, checked, and tabulated and a report thereof filed with the City Manager as follows:

<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Bid</u>
Edward R. Bacon Company	Sacramento	\$223,220.00
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WHEREAS, the lowest bid, from Edward R. Bacon Company, was non-responsive due to lack of the required bid bond; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends awarding the bid for Sewer Hydrocleaner Truck for the Water/Wastewater Division to the second lowest bidder, Municipal Maintenance Equipment, Sacramento, CA; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Lodi City Council that the award of the bid for Sewer Hydrocleaner Truck for the Water/Wastewater Division be and the same is hereby awarded to the second lowest bidder, Municipal Maintenance Equipment, Sacramento, CA in the amount of \$223,845.50; and

FURTHER, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Lodi City Council that additional funds be appropriated in the amount of \$13,790 from the Wastewater Contingency Fund.

Dated: October 15, 1997

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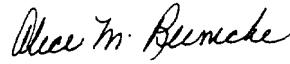
I hereby certify that Resolution No. 97-170 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held October 15, 1997, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS – Land, Mann, Sieglock, Warner and Pennino
(Mayor)

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS - None


ALICE M. REIMCHE
City Clerk